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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

We need more competition, not less. My provider, sonic, depends on ATT for infrastructure, and I can tell you from experience that sonic customers receive less priority.

For example, sonic provides net neutrality (in effect) even though you sold out to big telecom. At least let me choose a provider that protects my interests!

Please don't reduce competition. We need MANY more competitors, probably about 10 to get real choice. Competition will allow me to choose the features I need at a reasonable price.

Don't get in bed with any one provider, like ATT. Let's have more competition.

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